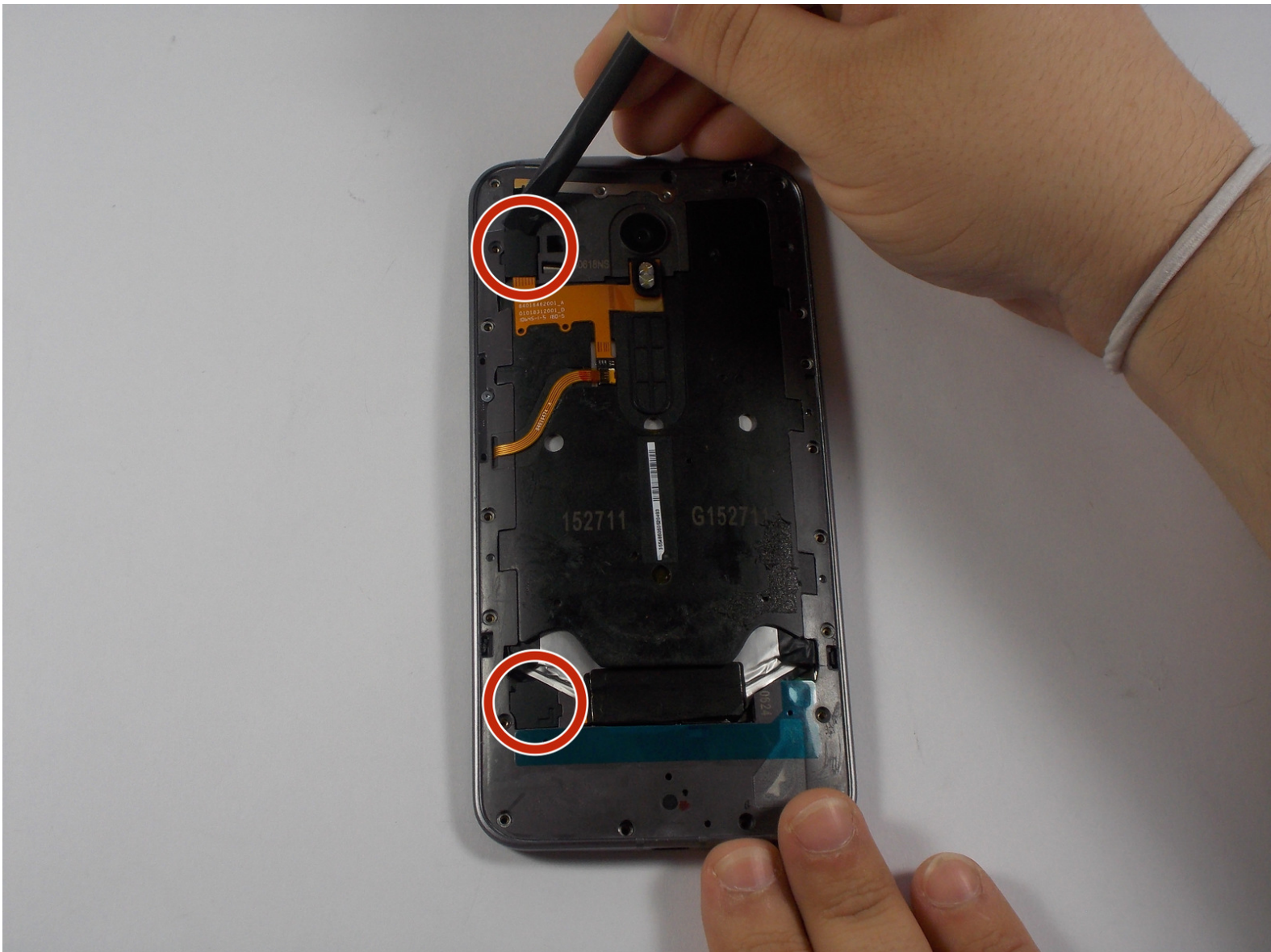




Moto X Pure Edition Back Panel Removal

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INTRODUCTION

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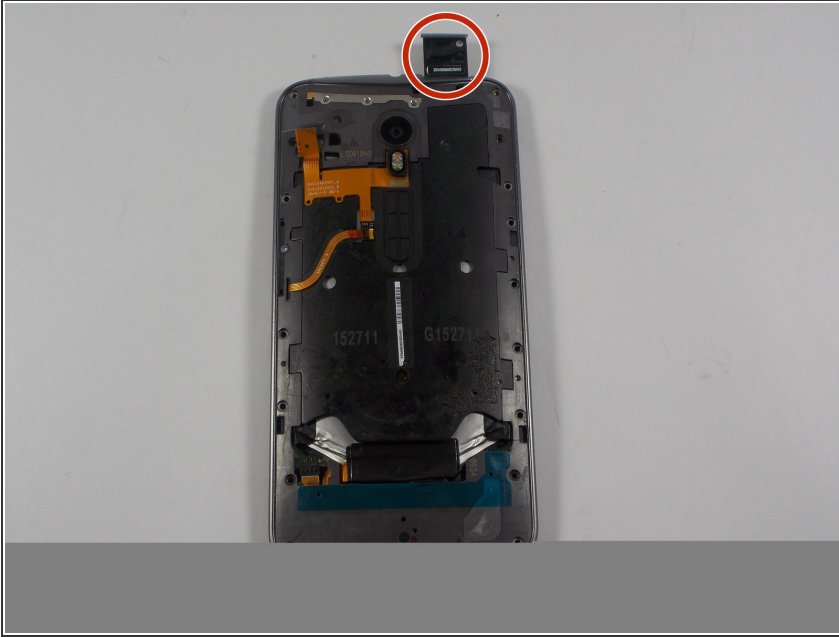
In order to replace anything on this particular device you are required to remove the back plate, back panel, and sim tray. In this guide we will be going over these steps.



TOOLS:

- [SIM Card Eject Tool](#) (1)
 - [Spudger](#) (1)
 - [T3 Torx Screwdriver](#) (1)
 - [iFixit Opening Picks set of 6](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Sim Card & Tray



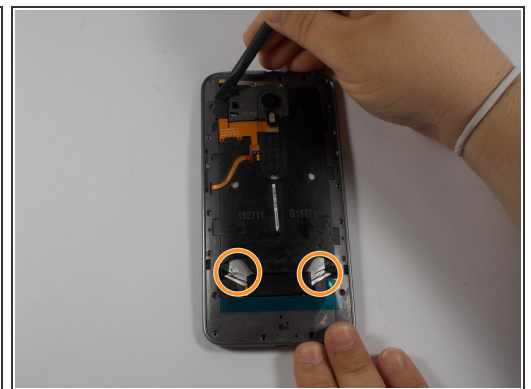
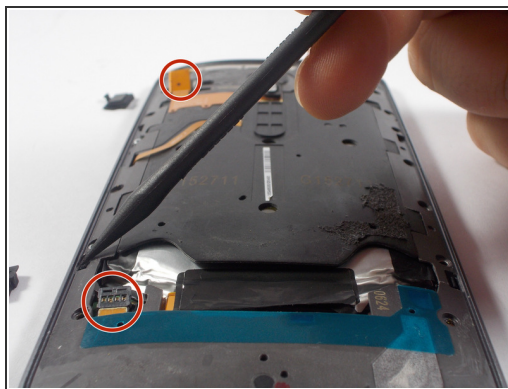
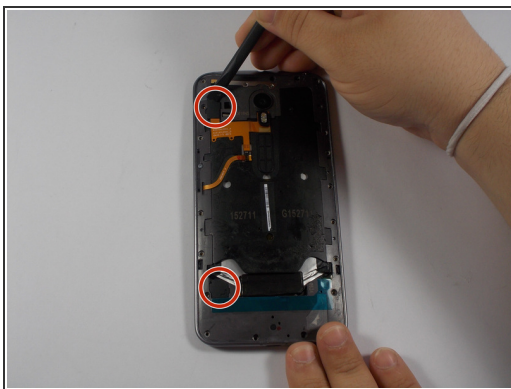
- Using the sim card removal tool remove the sim card tray.

Step 2 — Back Plate



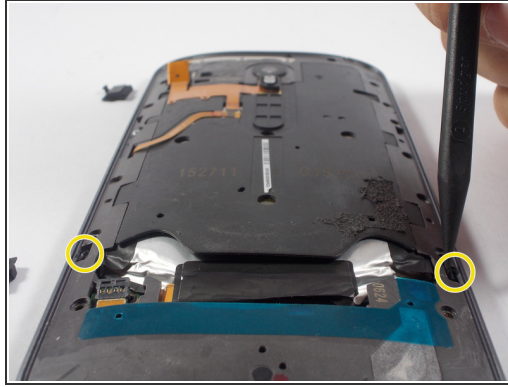
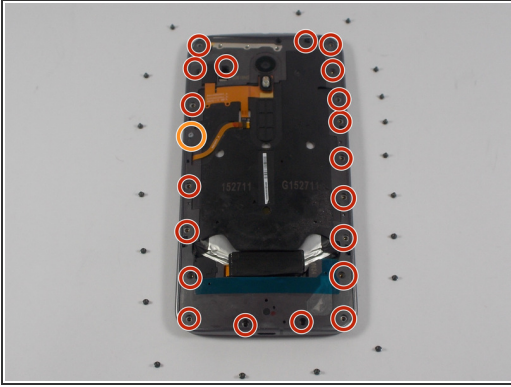
- i** There is adhesive holding the back plate in place. Be careful removing this as there is wiring on the other side.
- Insert the SIM card removal tool or the point of a spudger into the tiny notch in the frame near the SIM card tray, and pry up.
- i** This will allow you to open a slight gap behind the back panel.
- Insert an opening pick or other plastic tool into the gap and slide it around the entire perimeter of the phone to release the adhesive and remove the back plate.
- i** If the adhesive is too tough, use an iOpener or hair dryer to heat the back of the phone and soften the adhesive, and try again.

Step 3 — Back Panel



- Disconnect the two battery connections.
- Remove the two parallel black tabs by pulling on them.

Step 4



i All screw lengths are 2.5mm

- Using the T3 screw driver, remove all 20 T3 screws.
- Do NOT remove the silver screw circled in orange.
 - ⚠ This holds in the Power/Volume buttons and is not necessary to remove. There are 2 very tiny springs behind the volume buttons that are easy to lose if you remove this screw.
- Using the nylon spudger, remove the two clips holding the panel in place.

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.

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